

FOUR YEARS
IN PRISON

For Harry Madison For Receiving Stolen Stamps

CONVICTED IN 13 MINUTES

He Was Accused of Receiving Them from "Portland Fatty" and "Bangor Billy," After the Burglary at Morgan, Vt., Post Office.

Rutland, Nov. 18.—Harry Madison, who has been in the house of correction for three months, was sentenced today in the United States court here to serve four years in the federal prison at Atlanta, Georgia, for receiving postage stamps, which were stolen from the post office in Morgan, this state, in October, 1908. It was alleged that Madison received them from "Portland Fatty" and "Bangor Billy," and the jury returned a verdict against him in thirteen minutes yesterday afternoon.

Madison's mother-in-law, Mrs. Ella Starks, testified that "Portland Fatty" and "Bangor Billy" called at Madison's house on two or three occasions and that she had seen them counting the stamps which were placed high on a table.

The trial of Thomas Craven of this city, a railway mail clerk, on a charge of stealing a railway mail clerk's pass and altering it so that it could be used on the southern railroad, was begun yesterday. It is charged that the pass was found in possession of one of the servants of the respondent's brother.

19 HURT AS TROLLEY CAR
DOES SUMMERSAULT

ence Car with 45 Passengers, Only Women, Turns Completely Over; Only One Seriously Injured.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 18.—One passenger was seriously injured while 18 others were more or less hurt at Cranston early last evening, when one of the cross-town cars which runs from Pawtucket to the Print Works village, left the rails opposite the Narragansett trotting park.

The body of the car went in one direction, turning completely around, while the trucks flew to the opposite side of the street.

The car was well filled with passengers, there being about 45 in all, mostly women. As it neared the gateway of the park, running at high speed, there is a sharp curve and a switch to cross over the double track. At this point the forward trucks of the car left the rails, separating from the body, which turned a complete somersault, throwing the passengers in all directions.

The most seriously injured was Miss Annie Dodd. She was severely cut and bruised and suffered from a nervous shock. Her condition is serious.

OFF ON TWO DAYS' TRIP.

President Taft and Wife Boarded Mayflower This Afternoon.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—President Taft and Mrs. Taft will leave this afternoon on two days' trip on the Mayflower to Norfolk and Hampton. At former place Andrew Carnegie and wife will board the vessel as the guests of the president during their stay in this vicinity. On Friday the president will attend the deep waterways convention at Norfolk, and on Saturday he will visit Hampton institute, after which he will review the soldiers at Fort Monroe. He will return to Washington again on Sunday.

DROPPED FOOT BALL.

Georgetown University Faculty So Voted Last Evening.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—At a meeting of the faculty of Georgetown university, held last night, it was unanimously decided to suspend all foot ball games at that institution until such time as the national foot ball rules committee gives assurance that the game has been freed of its dangerous features. This action was taken as a result of the fatal injuries received by Archer Christian, left half back on the university of Virginia foot ball team, in the game between the institution and the university of Georgetown last Saturday.

GOMPERTS CASE CONTINUED.

Time Allowed for Counsel to Apply to Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The district court of appeals today decided to grant an extension of time of mandate in the Gompers-Mitchell-Morrison contempt case until November 29, to allow the counsel for the labor leaders opportunity to apply to the supreme court of the United States for a writ of certiorari. Chief Justice Shepard said further that time would be allowed, pending the action of the higher court.

FOUND GIRL'S LEG.

Probably a Crime in Troy, N. Y. Police Are Searching.

Troy, N. Y., Nov. 18.—The leg and part of the thigh of a girl about 10 years old, apparently very recently severed from the body, was found by the police in an ash pile on a lot in the center of the city last night. It is known that the ashes were not dumped in No. 10 until Tuesday. The police are investigating on the theory of murder. Investigation is being made for any possible case of a missing young girl.

WOMAN MURDERED
NEAR TROY, N. Y.

Caroline D. Gorgan, Aged 27, Victim of Crime. Body Found by Little Girls Who Stumbled Over It.

Troy, N. Y., Nov. 18.—The body of Caroline D. Gorgan, aged 27 years old who lived at 15 James st., Green Island Albany county, across the river from Troy, was found late yesterday in a clump of bushes in a lonely part of the village near the shore by two little girls who were playing there and stumbled over it. It is a case of murder, probably the result of a powerful drug administered. Search is being made for a man who is said to have been with Miss Gorgan Tuesday afternoon.

The woman, who is of respectable family, was employed in the collar and shirt factory of Chubb, Peabody & Co., in this city. She left her home Tuesday morning for the factory and, as Tuesday is pay day, collected her wages at noon and returned home. There was no work for her in the afternoon and she left presumably to do some shopping or call on friends. She did not return home at night. This was unusual and when report was made of the finding of a body yesterday afternoon identification followed.

It is the theory of the police that Miss Gorgan was killed at some place in this vicinity Tuesday night and the body taken to the lonely spot where it was later discovered.

There was only one mark on the body, that just under the eye. The autopsy performed on the body of Miss Gorgan late last night revealed that she had been criminally assaulted. The stomach was removed and will be sent to Bender's laboratory, Albany, for analysis. Miss Gorgan was last seen alive as far as is known when she parted from a girl friend, Miss Annie O'Brien, at Ferry and Fourth streets, this city. No arrests have been made. She had her wages, \$15, at the time.

FIRED AT BAR TENDER.

Leahy and Black Held by Nashua, N. H., Police.

Nashua, N. H., Nov. 18.—Entering the city hotel at the junction shortly before 11 o'clock last evening, James Leahy and William Black demanded a drink, and upon being refused five shots at Eugene Gokley, the former New England league baseball pitcher, who is now bartender. All of the shots went into the mirrors behind the bar and several bottles of liquor were demolished.

A small number of men were at the bar and among those Charles Delory, who knocked down Leahy. In the meantime, it is alleged, Leahy was drawing his revolver and attention was turned to him. Black recovered and made his way out of the door without his hat and pistol, while Leahy was turned over to the police.

Black, badly dazed by the blow he had received, was found near the gateman's house at the Keene railroad crossing at Temple street. The last legislature passed a law making the carrying of weapons without an excuse a very serious offense.

SEPARATE ORGANIZATIONS.

Seeker at Labor Convention Declares One to be Necessary for Politics.

Toronto, Can., Nov. 18.—J. R. Cline, a member of the British Parliament, in speaking today before the Federation of Labor convention declared that a separate organization for political purposes was the only hope for the laboring man. American workmen can never have their desires filled by politicians. The only way to get results is to work in unionism and form a separate organization. They can then name labor candidates and support them exclusively.

"PROF." HILL SENTENCED.

Man Who Cut Up Girl's Body Gets at Least Seven Years.

Taunton, Mass., Nov. 18.—"Prof." Frank L. Hill who pleaded guilty to manslaughter in being concerned in the death of Miss Amelia St. Jean of Woonsocket in Fall River last month, was sentenced to not less than seven or more than 10 years in state prison here yesterday.

The body of the girl was cut up by Hill after her death in his office in Fall River and distributed in the woods at Tiverton, R. I.

MUCH APPREHENSION FELT.

John Jacob Astor and Son Unheard From Since Big Gale Swept Jamaica.

New York, Nov. 18.—Every coast station is united by wireless in trying vainly to pick up the Nounmahal, the yacht on which Col. John Jacob Astor and his family are cruising. No tidings have been received from the vessel since the great gale swept Jamaica a week ago. The government cutter Algonquin has been ordered to proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, in search of it. It was last reported November 8, from Port Antonio, Jamaica.

GIRL HAD GRIT.

She Wrenched Booty From Burglar in Her Home.

Princeton, Ind., Nov. 18.—Miss Grace Witham, 20 years old, last night overpowered a burglar who had entered her home and wrenched from his grasp a pillow slip containing \$200 worth of jewelry and furs which the intruder had stolen from an upstairs room.

MISTOOK JARVIS FOR DEER.

Harvey Brewster, in Island Falls, Me., Fired Through a Thicket.

Island Falls, Me., Nov. 18.—Thinking he saw a moose or deer, Harvey Brewster fired through a thicket yesterday killing Milan Jarvis, 20 years old. The bullet struck young Jarvis in the back and he died instantly.

BANKS MUST GIVE ACCOUNT.

Statement of National Banks Called for by Comptroller of Currency.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for a statement of the condition of national banks which close business Tuesday, November 14.

MINOR CASES
WERE HEARD

In Washington County Court To-day

TRESPASS IN MIDDLESEX

Master in Hearing on A. M. Morrison and Oscar Thompson and Trustees Decides that the Plaintiff is Entitled to Funds.

The trespass suit of Mortimer and Price vs. Barnes and Brock in Middlesex is now being tried in Washington county court, Richard A. Haas appearing for the plaintiffs and John G. Wing of Montpelier for the defendants.

A decision of the master in the suit of A. M. Morrison vs. Oscar Thompson and trustee has been announced, by which the plaintiff is entitled to funds in the hands of the trustees. The defendant claimed that he was in bankruptcy when the suit was brought, while the plaintiff asserted that the suit was brought four months before the bankruptcy.

The time of the court is being taken up with the hearing of several divorce suits, the last one being that of Edward Rushlow of Marshfield against Julia, the alleged ground for the petition being adultery. No decision was rendered.

Alice A. Boardman sued for divorce from Henry Boardman, on the ground of refusal to support. John G. Wing appeared for the petitioner, and it was expected that the respondent would, through his attorney, William N. Theriault, contest the case, but the plaintiff met with no opposition. Mrs. Boardman said that her husband had not been living with her for nearly two years and that she did not know at present where he was. No decision.

The other case called was that of Secour vs. Secour, in which the petitioner, Louise, sued for separation from her husband, David, for intolerable severity and desertion. Attorney Richard A. Haas appeared in behalf of Mrs. Secour and the suit was uncontested. Three witnesses appeared, and the decision was reserved.

CAPT. MOSELEY RESIGNS.

Northfield National Guard Officer Has Been Ill.

Northfield, Nov. 18.—Captain Harry C. Mosely of company H, Vermont National Guard, has tendered his resignation to Adjutant-General W. H. Gilmore, and the same has been forwarded to Governor Proctor. Captain Mosely injured one ankle some time ago and has been compelled to go about on crutches most of the time since then.

LOYAL LEGION MEETS.

Memorials Read for Major-General O. O. Howard and Others.

Burlington, Nov. 18.—The 18th anniversary meeting of Vermont commandery, Military Order of the Loyal Legion, was held yesterday afternoon at the rooms on Church street. Memorials were read for the late General O. O. Howard and Bradley B. Smalley. Lieut.-Col. James W. Howard of Newark, N. J., a son of the general, and Capt. W. John of the 10th cavalry, were elected to membership.

A banquet was served at the Van Ness House last evening. Col. J. H. Goulding of Wilmington, commander, serving as toastmaster. The speakers were Rev. E. G. Gohrie of this city, Robert A. Lawrence of Rutland, R. W. Hubbard of Hyde Park, Frank J. Greene of St. Albans, Lieut.-Col. G. H. C. Gale of the 10th cavalry, Rodolph Proctor of Proctor and Porter H. Dale of Island Pond.

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TWO AMERICANS SHOT.

Leonard Grace and LeRoy Cannon Put to Death by Zelayas' Orders.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The following report has been received from the consul at Managua, that two Americans, Leonard Grace and LeRoy Cannon, have been shot by President Zelaya's orders. The state department today informed those in charge of the Nicaragua legation reception for the new minister, Senator Hastera, that it is to be indefinitely postponed. The navy department has ordered the cruisers Vicksburg and Des Moines to Nicaragua.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Garage and Block of Frame Buildings Destroyed.

Dunkirk, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Fire, causing a loss of \$125,000, destroyed the garage connected with the Minton House at Westfield today. Before the fire was extinguished, a whole block of frame buildings was burned.

CARLISLE'S CONDITION CRITICAL.

It Is Believed That the Judge Cannot Long Survive.

New York, Nov. 18.—The condition of Judge Carlisle, former secretary of the treasury, is reported as extremely critical today. It is believed that he cannot survive.

\$15,267.43 in Hunters' Fees.

Up to this morning, State Treasurer Deavitt had received \$15,267.43 in hunters' license fees. There probably will be a little more before the season ends.

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. U. E., held a dance last evening at their meeting in the K. of C. hall. There were 30 couples present, and a pleasant time was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Lily's orchestra. Refreshments were served.

TWO BARRELS OF ALE.

Alleged to Have Been Shipped by J. A. Merrill to Montpelier Elks.

Burlington, Nov. 18.—The case of State vs. J. A. Merrill was taken up yesterday afternoon in Chittenden county court before a jury. The respondent, who is the holder of a fourth class license to sell intoxicating liquors, is charged with violating the injunctions of his license by selling liquor to non-license holders. It is charged that on August 31 the respondent shipped two barrels of ale or beer to the Elks club in Montpelier.

The respondent will try to prove that he did not sell any liquor to any such organization or club and that such organization does not exist.

Freight Agent Gallagher of Montpelier testified as to the existence of a way bill, No. 20, which shows that J. A. Merrill shipped two barrels of ale to the Elks club in Montpelier. Although he had the way-bills for August and September in court, he was unable to find No. 20. He explained that perhaps it had been misplaced. He was instructed by the court to procure the bill. The defendant was granted many exceptions relative to the testimony of Mr. Gallagher.

Station Agent J. O. Adams of this city produced a shipping bill, purporting to show that J. A. Merrill had shipped two barrels of ale to the Elks club in Montpelier. He could not tell who made out the bill, or who signed it. R. E. Brown, attorney for the respondent, objected to most of Mr. Adams' testimony and many exceptions were granted to the defendant. Mr. Brown argued that the bill might have been made out by some irresponsible person, who gave the name of Mr. Merrill.

DOUBTS THE WISDOM.

Of the Proposal to Dredge the Mississippi River.

Burlington, Nov. 18.—Congressman D. J. Foster arrived in this city yesterday from Washington. He has just returned from the trip down the Mississippi river with the party of President Taft, and he had something of interest to say regarding the deep waterway project, which has in view the dredging of the Father of Waters, so that it will be navigable for sea-going craft.

Mr. Foster said yesterday that, while still open to conviction, he did not think that the project would be a paying venture. He said that he thought the expense involved would be out of all proportion to any benefit which might accrue therefrom. The presidential party found a large number of foreign ships at Mobile, and there were a great number of boats which went up the Alabama, but there was practically no traffic on the Mississippi, with its present facilities.

The problem to be solved now is that of keeping the river within its banks and fixing their location. This should be done, and in the expense of the work, the states interested should share with the federal government. Mr. Foster returned to Washington to-morrow.

OVER VERMONT IN A BALOON.

Successful Trip From Rutland to Enfield, N. H. Yesterday Afternoon.

Rutland, Nov. 18.—The balloon, "Heart of the Berkshires," which was carried at this place yesterday afternoon at 3:10 o'clock came down safely in an open meadow at Enfield, N. H., at 5:20 last evening. The trip was made by three people. Pilot William Van Fleet of Pittsfield, Mass., Postmaster Ezra Allen of Enfield, and Mrs. Elsie I. Sever, a local newspaper reporter. The balloon disappeared in the direction of Killington Peak, which lies to the east of the city.

The total distance covered was about forty miles and much of the trip was through a heavy snow storm. The landing was accomplished without difficulty and except for the snow storm, the trip was not attended by any unusual features. The average elevation reached during the journey was about 5000 feet.

SUES FOR PERSONAL INJURIES.

Noel Dupys of Whittingham Wants \$20,000 for Assault.

Brattleboro, Nov. 18.—Noel Dupys of Whittingham has filed suit against Charles Brishois, also of Whittingham, for an assault and battery, the alleged assault taking place in Whittingham on November 5, when Brishois entered the barn which the two men owned jointly and attempted to extract some hay owned by Dupys and stored in the barn.

Upon Dupys' remonstrating with him, it is alleged that Brishois attacked him with a pitchfork, bruising him and knocking him senseless. A companion who attempted to interfere in Dupys' behalf, was also badly beaten up by Brishois. The case is returnable at the April, 1910, term of the Windham county court.

TWO MEN SUE RAILROAD.

Claiming Loss of Timber Land Through Fire From Engine.

Brattleboro, Nov. 18.—Two suits were filed yesterday at the April term of the Windham county court against the Hoosac Tunnel and Wilmington railroad operating a line between the town of Wilmington and the Hoosac Tunnel. The first is that of Charles S. Chase, of Brattleboro, against the corporation, and Edward E. Jewell of Whittingham is the plaintiff in the second case. The plaintiffs claim that they own land on the line of the railroad, and that because of insufficient spark protection on the engines of the line, valuable lots of timber land were burned over by sparks coming from passing locomotives. Mr. Chase claims for \$5,000, and Mr. Jewell for \$1,000.

KILLED BY BARREL OF CIDER.

Edward Pike Victim of Peculiar Accident at Bethel.

Bethel, Nov. 18.—Edward Pike of Readboro, aged 44 years, who had worked here about six weeks on a pulp job, died Monday following an unusual accident the day before, when a large barrel of cider rolled upon him on the cellar stairway of his boarding house, crushing him fatally. He lived about 16 hours. His relatives could not be located and his body was buried by the town authorities in Fairview cemetery. He is believed to have a son in Lowell, Mass., and his belongings are being held for a possible claimant.

HAD TO WATCH
HOUSE BURN

Location Too High to Permit Stream of Water

CHEMICALS WERE NO USE

Residence of Samuel O. Bennett on East Street Extension, One of Highest Points in City, Was Destroyed Early This Afternoon.

Samuel O. Bennett's house on East street extension was burned to the ground early this afternoon, while firemen and a crowd of a hundred people stood around and watched it, helpless to do anything except get the things out of the building. The house is situated on Perrin hill, one of the highest points in the city and nearly 1,200 feet from the nearest hydrant. The firemen laid hose from the hydrant, but there was not force enough to the water to any more than barely run out of the nozzle, and nothing else could be done to save the house.

The members of the Bennett family were all away from home when the fire was discovered by neighbors, as it was breaking out of the roof near the chimney, a few minutes before noon. The fire department was called by telephone, and the neighbors set to work getting the goods out of the top story of the house until the firemen arrived. Four horses were hitched onto the chemical engine to draw it up the hill, and the contents of the engine were played onto the flames, which were then roaring around the chimney and in many places in the roof. The flames had too much headway for the chemical to stop them, and as soon as it was seen that the water would not run from the hose, which had been run from the hydrant, all hope of saving the building had to be given up, and the firemen and the crowd set to work and quickly had everything of value removed from the house from the top to the cellar.

As the fire started around the chimney in the roof, the flames had to work downward, and it was nearly two hours before the building was consumed so that the walls fell in. The house was built by Mr. Bennett five years ago, and he stated that the loss was \$900. He carried \$300 insurance on the house and the furniture.

Just how the fire caught has not yet been determined, but it is supposed to have started from a defect in the chimney. A fire had been left in the stove when the family left in the morning. Mr. Bennett drives a wood team for S. Martin, and Mrs. Bennett was working for the day at the home of Dr. W. E. Lenzell.

It was the hardest work that the fire horses have done in many a day. The location of the fire is half a mile from the central fire station, and most of the way it is steep climbing. The four horses, after hauling the chemical engine to the top of the hill and the chemicals had been exhausted in an ineffectual effort to check the flames, were sent back to the central station and hitched to the hook and ladder truck, which is ordinarily drawn by one of the pairs. They then began their second climb of the steep hill. It was thought that the ladder could be used to let the firemen throw water from them; but the plan was found to be futile, as the fire had progressed so far. Meanwhile, a single team had been dispatched to the central station for fire hose. The horses stood the hardship fairly well.

WILL GET FIRE ENGINE.

Marshfield Raising Money to Purchase It For Village.

Marshfield, Nov. 18.—The much-talked of and much-needed fire engine seems to be a probability. G. E. Shepard has been about town for a few days and has already succeeded in getting pledges for \$642. The ladies of the Village Improvement society have contributed largely to this. The ladies realized \$24 from the guilt and poverty social of last week. Misses Glancy Sulham and Carrie Spencer said a great many years, at ten cents each, with a ticket on the quilt included. All interested in the fire engine are requested to meet this evening to elect committee to purchase the same.

JURY COULD NOT AGREE.

In Sunderland-Webb Horse Case in Chittenden County Court.

Burlington, Nov. 18.—The jury in the case of E. A. Sunderland vs. Albert S. Webb, after being out all night and yesterday morning, reported at two o'clock that they could not agree. The jury was discharged by the court. The case was one of general assumption, the plaintiff seeking to recover \$750 for the training and sale of three race horses, Billy W., Jennie W., and Burlington Maid, which were sold by the defendant to G. E. Whitney in 1906.

KNOCKED OFF ENGINE.

Albert W. Brown Hurt at Essex Junction Yesterday.

Essex Junction, Nov. 18.—Albert W. Brown on extra freight No. 908, north-bound, was injured on the head while in the south yard at 5:20 o'clock yesterday morning. He was standing on the steps of the engine when his head struck a car standing on the siding. He was thrown to the ground and rendered unconscious for some time. Dr. David Marvin was called and found that his head was badly bruised. He regained consciousness and after his wounds were dressed he was sent to St. Albans.

INSTALLED AT WORCESTER.

Rev. F. A. Poole Became Pastor of Union Church Tuesday.

Rev. Francis A. Poole, formerly pastor of the Congregational church in this city, was on Tuesday installed as pastor of the Union church in Worcester, Mass. After Mr. Poole's statement of faith, the installing council voted to proceed with the program; but, prior to that, there was considerable sentiment in favor of doing away with the formal procedure because of the satisfactory statement by the minister. This discussion is told about by the Worcester Telegram of yesterday, as follows:

"So comprehensive was Rev. Mr. Poole's statement of faith, and so firmly did his brethren believe in his word, that Rev. Dr. Archibald McCullagh would have the council lay aside all precedent in this matter, and accept it then and there, without the usual formula of the council retiring, as is its traditional usage in exercises of this nature."

Rev. Thomas E. Babb of Holden, the moderator, said that while this would be perfectly right on this occasion, when everything was so satisfactory, it might not be so on all occasions, and therefore no distinctions ought to be made.

"The council and Dr. McCullagh, therefore, accepted the old form of procedure, and the private council took place."

After the close of its deliberations, the council voted to install Rev. Mr. Poole, announcement having been made by Rev. Thomas E. Babb of Holden, Mass., who spoke of the words of praise offered by those who knew the pastor in boyhood and manhood of his "splendid worth, courage, fidelity and eloquence."

Rev. John L. Sewall then read the program for the installation. Rev. Dr. Clark of Salem preached the installation sermon. Rev. George A. Hall of Brookline, Mass., gave the charge to the pastor, and the last address of the evening was delivered by President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university.

The Worcester Telegram adds:

"Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Poole at their home were: Arthur F. Poole, Peabody; Mr. Poole's uncle and his wife; Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Woodruff, Barre, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin P. Edwards, Topsfield; Mrs. A. J. Daigneau and Mrs. Andrew Rasmussen, Brookline; Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hall, Brookline; Mr. Poole's former pastor, Rev. Dr. Clark; Rev. Mr. Bradford, Rev. Donald Fraser, Berlin, Vt.; Rev. Lucius F. Reed, Hyde Park."

LEG CUT OFF AT KNEE.

Danby Man Run Over by Loaded Car and Terribly Injured.

Rutland, Nov. 18.—Louis King, aged 24, an employee of the Manchester Marble Co. at Danby, was seriously injured Tuesday and was brought to the hospital here. He had charge of a horse and car, which was drawing a large block of granite out of a quarry. The car began to slip down hill and Mr. King got off the load and was walking beside it when his foot became caught in a switch, and before he could get it out, the heavily loaded vehicle passed over one of his legs, cutting it off at the knee.

It was about two hours before the man was able to get medical attention at Danby. The injured man lost a great deal of blood and his condition is critical.

FUNERAL OF YOUNG LADY.

Miss Elizabeth Nicora's Services Were Largely Attended.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Nicora, who died at the City hospital Monday, was held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicora, of Pine street, at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was a very large gathering of friends and relatives. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The pall bearers were Paul Scamporr, Anthony Rossi, Tibaldo Gabelloni, Harry Calegari, P. Colombo and Joseph Ricciardi. The interment was in the Holy cemetery.

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN BRASSAW.

Occurred Last Evening After Nearly Two Years' Illness.

Mrs. John Brassaw died at 9:25 o'clock last evening at her home off Pearl street, after nearly two years' illness, caused by a shock. The deceased was born in Calais 61 years ago last May. Her maiden name was Emily I. Green, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Green, who for many years lived at Wright's mills in Montpelier. She is survived by her husband.

The funeral will be held from the house to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The body will be taken to Wrightsville for interment.

SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS.

After a Brief Session Held at Rutland, Six Cases Heard.

Rutland, Nov. 18.—The Vermont Supreme court, which has been in session here for three days, adjourned this morning until November 23, at Brattleboro. During its present session it heard four Rutland cases and two from Bennington county.

Per La Verita!

Non e per discolparmi di colpa che non ho, e neppure per addossare ad altri miei colleghi la causa della morte della Signorina Elisabetta Nicora, che rendo di pubblica ragione la mia piu completa estraneita' nel caso.

In questo disgraziato accidente, un altro dolore ben piu' amaro di tutti e che provo per intero la mia fiduciosa somministrazione l'Etere con tutte le regole dell'arte e con vecchia esperienza, per nulla responsabile se una paralisi cardiaca sopraggiunta per ragioni che non si possono spiegare, troncò non solo una giovane vita, ma rovinò il frutto del mio costante passato lavoro di tre mesi, proprio nel momento che tutto era riuscito alla perfezione. A testimone di queste mie asserzioni cito la Vedova Bertolini, la di cui bambina fu da me operata pochi minuti prima della catastrofe. Essa potra' dire a piena dimostrazione della verita' se io ho la minima colpa dell'accidente.

Alle chiacchiere fantastiche dei maligni ed alle calunnie dei gelosi, potrei opporre un'autopista legale. Non lo faccio in omaggio e rispetto all'infelice dolore della famiglia, e per riguardo verso uno stesso che al pettegolezzo non superiore. Le farò di certo se costretto.

Dotto E. J. Ghidella, Medico-Chirurgo, Barre, Vt., Nov. 17, 1909.

FORTIFYING
FOR LOCKOUT

Other Unions in Granite Industry Elect Committees

STILL WAIT FOR DUNCAN

Secretary of Granite Cutters' Union Has Information Concerning Situation and Northfield Union Looks for Instructions from Him.

Following the example set by the granite cutters yesterday, Tool Sharpeners' branch, No. 2, G. C. I. A., last night elected a lockout committee at their regular meeting held in Nichols' hall. The committee is composed of the following men: James McDonald, George Barnard, David Dawson,